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Regarding the proposed rule change we believe implementing drug testing on small companies will be an unnecessary added expense. Please consider exempting small operations. Operators with less than 5 full-time miners should be exempt.

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